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Dear Mr. Butler:

This letter is in response to your request for additional information dated April 23, 2015.

Your letter notes that the Committee made contributions for 2014 Primary Debt Retirement to Friends of Frank Guinta and to Poliquin for Congress. Your letter further indicates that neither campaign committee had sufficient debt to accept these contributions.

Prior to issuing these contributions, the Committee reviewed the July Quarterly reports filed by Friends of Frank Guinta and Poliquin for Congress. Each report disclosed debt and each committee specifically requested contributions to retire 2014 Primary Debt. Based on the information available at the time, The Freedom Project gave \$5000 to each campaign committee toward this debt.

Friends of Frank Guinta has now determined that there was not sufficient 2014 Primary Debt at the time it received the debt retirement contribution from The Freedom Project and has issued a refund in the amount of \$5000 to The Freedom Project. This refund was deposited by The Freedom Project on 5/21/15 and will be disclosed on the Committee's June Monthly Report.

In response to an inquiry from the FEC regarding its acceptance of primary debt retirement contributions, Poliquin for Congress confirmed in a 2/3/15 filing that they had sufficient debt to deposit the contribution from The Freedom Project. The Committee believes no further action is necessary at this time.

Sincerely,

Lisa Lisker
Treasurer
